

HOUSE BILL 3345

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53,
relative to food preparation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53, Chapter 8, is amended by adding
the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

53-8-____

(a) All employees, operatives, clerks and persons who handle the
materials from which food is prepared, or the finished product, at any food
service establishment or retail food stores, shall wear disposable sanitary gloves.

(b) The commissioner shall prescribe rules and regulations governing the
disposable sanitary gloves, including, but not limited to:

(1) The gloves are to be worn for one (1) task only;

(2) The same gloves are not used while working with ready-to-eat
food and raw food; and

(3) The gloves must be discarded when they are soiled or
damaged, an interruption occurs in the operation, or after two (2) hours of
continuous use.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring
it.